# CURRENT TOPICS.

ATLANTA theaters are to be taxed in cents for each performance The headless body of a man was found in the Monongahela near l'itts-

Ax Akron girl traced a recreant los er to Trenton, N. J., and made him

MRS. HENRY WARD BEECHER is now suffering from whooping cough for the fourth time. MISS EMMA STORTS, of Portsmouth,

was almost strangled to death by a huge black snake. JOHN BOYD THACHER, democrati-

sominee for governor of New York. declares himself for gold. THE hanging of Hayne at Atlania cost Sheriff Barnes \$50, and all he received from the county was \$10, and

that sum is generally given to the man who pulls the trap. La HUNG CHANG is credited with telling a director of the Bank of Scotland that self-interest as a rule of business is the same the world over, but espe-

cially in England." REV. DR. JOHN MATTHEWS, paster of the Centenary Methodist Episcopul church of St. Louis, celebrates the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination or

the 30th of September. THERE are about 100 grains of iron is the average human body, and yet so important is this exceedingly small quantity that its diminution is attended with very serious results.

Miss Eliza Talbott, who has been a missionary in Japan for 25 years, and neted as a nurse in the Japanese army during the war with China, is visiting her old home in Rockville, Ct.

Stoomso may be quickly enred, said a gymnastic instructor, if the patient several times daily slowly raises himself upon the toes in a perpendicular ng the lungs.

sition, at the same time fully inflat-ITALY and Abyssinia have come to an amicable agreement upon the handsome basis of two million francs for the board and lodging of the Italian

prisoners captured by King Menclek during the war. QUEEN VICTORIA'S physical conditio is such that she never stands on her feet for two minutes together. She is wheeled from room to room, and at all

court and other functions sits constantly in a low chair. THE British Egyptian expedition has captured Dongola with apparently slight loss to the assailants. The Dervishes, though numerous and brave,

were no match for the British with their superior artillery. DYNAMITE, contrary to general be lief, is comparatively harmless so long as it is kept apart from the materials which are used to explode it. Gunpow-der far more dangerous in trans-

portation than dynamite. Pore Leo XII. is going to make an other English cardinal, according to the Rome Tribuna, Monsignore Edmund Stonor, archbishop of Trebizond in partibus, having been reserved in

petto at the last consistory. KAISER WILLIELN has designed a sill ver cup, which he will offer as a prize for a yacht race from Dover to Heligoland next year after the 60th anniver sary of his grandmother's accession to the throne of Great Britain.

A 30-story building is to be creeted will be 386 feet high from the curb line.

Two young men of St. John's, Mich. a lot of wheat in alcohol and it around the courthouse grounds. Then they gathered up in bags upward of 400 inebriated sparrows and gathered the bounty on them

REV. WILLIAM M. LANE, an Episco pal rector of Alameda, Cal., has resigned because, as he says, so mu gossip was excited in the church by his wearing a brown suit, smoking cigars purchased of a local dealer and going

to Oakland to attend the theater. THE funeral of a workingman is Japan costs 83 cents unless the family wishes to have it especially fine, when it will cost as much as \$1.23. The price of a coffin is 20 cents, and the rate for cremation is from 40 to 75 cents. Refreshments figure up from 11 to 2

AT the seaside or in the country, where the air is clear, 1,500 microbes must be inhaled into the nose every hour, while in the cities the number often reaches 14,000. The organisms are caught by the nose and passed to digestive organs, which, when in health, destroy them.

THE citizens of Nashville propose to erect a statue of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt to show the city's appreciaon of the many handsome donations h the Vanderbilt family have made to Vanderbilt university. The statue will cost \$4,000 and will be placed on the university campus.

THE other day a father in Philadelphia started to give his little child a ride in a basket attached to the fore part of his bicycle. The wheel struck an obstruction and the child was throws forward on its head and killed. The authorities propose to hold the father on a charge of manslaughter. THE latest in London is a bicycle

eleaning and insurance company. For a subscription of sixpence per week the company undertakes to clean a bicycle at the owner's own house, in addition to giving the owner of the machine an accident insurance policy. SINCE the death of his mother, Lady Wilde, the health of Convict Oscar Wilde has broken down. There appears to have been deep affection be-tween them. The home secretary re-cently decided that there should be no on of the sentence. That decision is now under revision, and of errors. The score Wilde's release is probable about Oc- apolis 9, Minneapolis 7.

MRS. SEWARD WEBB, of Newport has recently added to her jewel casket a tiara, which can also be worn as a necklace, stomacher or corsage brooch.

It is said to have cost \$100,000. One of the greatest prizes that ever that awarded to Dr. Dimsdale, for many years a Hertford (England) physician. That gentleman went to Russia in the year of 1768, and inoculated the Empress Catherine and her son. For this service he received a fee of \$50,000, and was also awarded a pension for life of \$2,500 per annum, and the rank of baron of the empire.

THE consumption of horse and don-key fiesh as human food appears to be largely on the increase in Paris. Last year 30,000 horses alone were thus disd of in the French capital.

The claims of the embroiderer have been recognised by the manufacturer, and a special chair has been designed for her benefit. It is a high-back armchair, made of reeds, and has a large pocket built on the right side, large enough to contain a goodly quantity of working materials. This attachment secures the worsteds and embroidery alike and presents them. alike and prevents them from rolling ing, aged 78 years, away and becoming soiled.

### EVIDENCE

Of a Growing Spirit for Closer Union in South America.

Brazil Making an Effort to Bring About a Combination Between tiself, Chili and Argentina - Chili is No Longer Cold Towards the United States.

Washington, Sept. 25.—The state desartment continues to record evidence of the growing spirit in South and central American republics favoring policy of "American commerc Americans only," as the result the forcible reiteration of the Monroe doctrine, the latest consplenws cases being the movement in Bra ii for a closer union with its neighsors and the cordial attitude toward he United States in Chili, that counry having for the last six or eight cars manifested a rather cool disposi

Mr. Thompson, in a disputch to this government regarting the annual reort of the Brazilian minister of for eign affairs for this year, writes: The minister appears to be thor

oughly imbued with the purpose of bringing the South American republies into a closer union, but at the same time keeping Brazil aloof from all complications with European na-

In regard to the United States, the minister says:

"Without claiming a share in the reonsibilities of the international situations, which the vigorous policy of the United States of America creates and defends. Brazil can not ignore or withdraw from the influence which it exercises on the destinies of South America." A commercial union between Chile

Argentina and Brazilis advocated. The eport observes that it is impossible or the South American republics to preserve an indifference to each other. The economic conditions of Rio de Janeiro, Buenos Ayres and Valpariso are so identical that sooner or later they must combine.

Minister Thompson says it is evident that Brazil is making great efforts to oring about a combination between itself. Chile and Argentina. He is not informed how far these efforts have succeeded.

### QUIET AT LEADVILLE.

No Evidence of the Miners' Strike Outside of the Presence of the Troops.
LEADVILLE, Col., Sept. 25.—Another iet day passed Thursday and the only evidence of the miners' strike was tion. the presence of the state militia. The full of strikers and late arrests have have held at the Central station for the court of inquiry called by Gen. Brooks convened Thursday afternoon in se- and sent to the guard house. There eret session. By this means some of were 15 in the last named place at 11 Bowen, alias Curtis, alias Watson, the acts are hoped for that will give o'clock Friday morning. All are likely some light on the Coronado mine at. to be released after examination. The tack of Monday morning.

murder of Fireman O'Keele are Peter Turnbull, vice president of the Miners' | treated to the hills. union; E. J. Dewar, secretary; George Handin, Wm. O'Brien, Pat Kennedy, J. V. Doyle, Richard Otis, John Ahern, Richards, Ernest Nicholas, Eugene Cannon, Cornelius Shea, Michael Weibley, Gus Johnson and Nelse

### ARMENIAN SOCIETIES,

onstantinople says that Armenian serts, are bound by solemn oaths to mitted. bring about the ruin of the Ottoman on Park Row, New York city, on the empire and to force the European

The organizations receive their or-There will be 27 main floors and three | ders from a secret central committee. The demonstration against the porce Ottoman bank by Armenians devolved the new Japanese-American line to a weekingo. lutionary organizations will act successively to accomplish the results at which they aim.

# AT AN END.

The Official Wind-Up of the Wester League Baseball Games. The official standing at the close of the Western League session is thus steamship. Hitherto all vessels of the

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a mounces the death Thursday of Gen. Mexia, chairman of the ways and the United St tes. means committee of the house of representatives of the Mexican congress. Gen. Mexia was regarded as the leading statesman and financier of the Burn the Village of Lagunillas, in the Mexican republic. The town of Mexican Province of Matanzas. Mexican republic. The town of Mexia, Tex., was named for him. He owned

The Carpenters and Joiners. CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 25.-The que tion of making the office of the chief executive a salaried position occupied nearly all of Thursday's session of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, which was finally agreed to. An amendment to the constitution was adopted, making the amount of dues and initiation fees uniform all over the country.

The Powers Negotiating With the Ports BERLIN, Sept. 25 .- A Constantinople dispatch to the Lokalanze ger says that diplomats in the Turkish have been instructed to suspend their conferences on the Armenian question, as direct negotiations are pending be tween the porte and the powers.

Indianapolis Club an Easy Winner Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 25 -Indianapolis was an easy winner of the first game in the Free Press cup series. Both pitchers proved easy and the only hard rivalry noted was in the piling up The score was, Indian

Tin Novelty Man Killed. RAHWAY, N. J., Sept. 25 .- J. Sprague, president of the Eustis Man-ufacturing Co., was instantly killed Thursday morning at the Poplar street railroad crossing by the Philadelphia express. Mr. Sprague is known throughout the country as a manufacturer of tin novelties.

Died in Each Others Arms. CHICAGO, Sept. 25.-Harry Conway, of Clinton, Ia., was killed here Thursday afternoon by Grace Clark, who shot him first and then killed herself. They died in each other's arms. Jealousy the cause of the tragedy.

Fatally Injured by a Biercle. KANSAS CITY, Kas., Sept. 25 .- Hugh Conway, aged 64 years, one of the oldest citizens of this city, while walking on James street, Thursday morning was run down by a bicycle ridden by 16-year-old boy and fatally injured. His skull was fractured and several ribe broken. This is the second cycle socident in this locality this week.

Swedish Statesman Dead. STOCKHOLM, Sept. 25.-Louis Ger-hard, Baron de Geer of Finshang, the celebrated Swedish statesman and politician, died here Thursday morn-

### SITUATION CRITICAL

ha Outbreak at Leadville, Col., May Occur at Any Time-The Strikers, in Desperation, Flee to the Hills and Organize Cincago, Sept. 26.-A special from

Lendville, Col., says: Mai, W.A. Smith was appointed provost marshal here Thursday and followed up his appoint ment by making a number of arrests, which threaten to bring on a clash be tween the military and the civil au thorities.

ets was to cause the arrest of J. W. Mitchell, a reporter for the Denver Times, thereby establishing a press It seems that he instructed Mitchell

One of the provost marshal's first

of to send out certain pieces of news. It was sent as a private note to the paper and for this Mitchell was arsted and the military authorities refuse to release him. There is already clash, as it is asserted martial law the right of the procest marshal to arrest and hold people without warrant of law will be tested.

One of the men arrested will be released on bonds by Judge Owers. The military officials declare that if he is released he will be immediately rearrested. If this is done a warrant court for the proved mar-bal who will be arrested and brought before the adge, and the prisoner will be produced by a writ of habeas corpus if necessary. The civil authorities maintain that their rights are invisiates long as the courts, remain open, and if men are to be arrested without warrant of law a declaration of martial law must be declared. The courts re-

fuse to countenance the present pro-LEADYHAR Col., Sent. 26 -There is danger ahead in the situation unless cool counsel prevails. Mine managers and citizens in general are determined to wipe out the tough element. The strikers realize now that they are outlaws and have retreated from the city and banded together to fight to the bitter end. Innocent sufferers from the strike are likely to become desper-

ate also, since they realize their jobs are likely to go to outside men. Nearly every business man in the city has joined one of three militia ompanies organized Thursday night Guns and arms for 300 men arrived Friday. The governor has so arranged things after the militia leave that in event of a riot recurring, martial law can immediately be declared and home troops will take care of the situa-The city and county jail is No miners are to be seen, having re-

The mines will open immediately are expected to arrive Friday night. surrender.

rived here safely Friday a ternoon and er and then made the frightened were escorted by squads of militia to man set up the drinks. A few minutes quarters prepared for them at the Emlater they held up the saloon of James Five in Number, Bind Themselves To- mitt, Marion and other mines adjoin- Keating and after confiscating the cash Paris, Sept. 25.—A dispatch from there was some jeering by men and revolutionary societies now existing at the depot to witness the arrival of there are five in number. The mem- this first installment of non-union bers of these societies, the dispatch as- miners, no acts of violence were com-

# PERMISSION GRANTED

To the Japanese-American Line of

Washington, Sept. 26 .- The navy of Seneca and Frankfort stree in 1895 and the recent attack upon the department has granted permission to upon the Hintelmand Frocksk socie- dock the steamer Yamaguchi Maru at ties, respectively, and three other revo- the Puget Sound dock yard at Port Orchard Wash, on October 1. This is one of the fast ship, of the Nippon Yusen Kaishi I, the great Japanese maratime corporation which recently established a trans-Pacific line conceting at Seattle with the Great Northern railway to compete with the Canadian railway and Pacific size of this Japanese ship have been docked on the American coast only at Esquimault, B. C., which is the British naval station, and the only yard hav-5 ing sufficient docking capacity. The Puget sound dock, which was not finally accepted by the government until this week, was intended wholly for naval purposes, but the navy department has ruled on the application Dallas, Tex., Sept. 23.—A private of the Japanese company that the use te egram received Thursday evening of the dock in emergencies will be perof the Japanese company that the use mitted, provided there is no expense to

CUBAN INSURGENTS

HAVANA, Sept. 26.—The patriots 70,000 acres of land in this state. He have burned the town of Lagunillas, in the province of Matanzas.

The patriots destroyed the following sugar estates: Olano, near Bolondron; Ozado, near Logunillas; Santo Domingo, near Guanmacaro, San Antonio, near Corrol Falso, and buildings on other estates of more or less impor-All of these estates are in the prov

ince of Matanzas. The queen regent has commuted the death sentence placed on Octavo Zubi-zarretas to life imprisonment.

# TURKISH CRISIS.

The European Ambassadors Believes It is

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 26. - In diplonatic circles it is considered that the cute crisis is over. I am sure that the ambassadors will ccept the status quo

The porte intends publishing imme diately a report of reforms already carried out. It now appears that 1,000 Armenians

were killed during the recent massacre at Egin, in the Kharput district. It is reported that 100 Armenians have been killed at Divrig, in the same vilayet. Disastrous Fire at Fairmont, W. Va.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Sept. 26. - A dis astrous fire, the second within two days, occurred here Friday morning. At six o'clock the John glass house was liscovered to be on fire and in an hour the entire plant was consumed. The oss is about \$20,000. A number of private residences nearby were badly

scorched. Dixon-White Fight Ends in a Draw. NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The 20-round bout between Geo. Dixon, of Boston, and Jimmy White, of Chicago, for the featherweight championship of the world, ended in a draw after 20 rounds.

Steel Works Resume Operations. PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 26 .- The enre plant of the Carnegie Co.'s Edgar mson Steel works at Braddock has resumed operations, after several weeks' idleness Both old and new mills are making steel rails, giving employment to about 1,200 men.

Jailed for Vagrancy. CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Al Ruhman, the husband of Zella Nicolaus, the young woman who sued Geo. Gould for \$40. 000, is in jail charged with vagrancy. Ruhman and his wife have been "beating" various hotels and boardinguses for some time past.

## STRIKE ENDED.

the Man Decide to Return to Work at the Cld Echedula Prices,

Provided Mine Owners Would Agree to Give Them Their Old Places Outside of One or Two Mines the Old Men Will Be Taken Back.

LEADVILLE, Col., Sept. 28. - The great pers' strike which has kept Leadville in a turmoil for nearly two months and which resulted in the killing of five men last Monday morning and the subsequent placing of the city under artial law, is cade t A meeting of the stelkers was held Saturday night under the supervision d the militia, and after a stormy ession it was finally decided that the men return to work at the old sched ale prices, providing the mine owner would agree to give them their old places. A committee of five was an pointed to confer with the mine own es, and as it is cenerally believed that outside of the one or two mines that have started up with non union men, the o'd men will be taken back, no further trouble is expected.

The strike was the outcome of the aganization of the miners by the Western Federation of Miners, and almost every mine worker was in the anion when their demands were made and refused.

The miners asked St a day for all lasses of workmen, including surface and underground men. This the own rs declared they would not pay, and nearly all of them closed down, several even allowing the pumps to stop The employers remained willing to continue paying the wages which had prevailed up to that time. Under that cale surface workers were paid only 82.50. Practically the only change the mion demanded was the advance of the wages of this class of men to \$1. LEADVILLE, Col., Sept. 28.-Lieut

Verdeckberg telephones from the Bonn Air mine at 9:10 that four shots were fire I at a picket, who returned the fire and called for the corporal of the guard. When the corporal ran out two shots were fired at him, and they were returned, after which a squad started in pursuit of the assailants.

### TWO LEADERS

Of the Ging of Highwaymen Who Have Born Terrorizing Cleveland to the Hands of the Authorities,

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 28.-Sunday night the police revealed the identity of the two mysterious prisoners they been turned over to the militia last 24 hours. They are Bert Kaiser, alias George Stanley, and James and are the leaders of the gang of highwaymen who have terrorized Cleve marshals are searching for arms and land during the last mouth. Both The men now under arrest for the ammunition, so far without success, are well known crooks and have served time. They were caught red-handed in the act, but the police kept the matter quiet in order to secure other mem with imported labor. Three hundred bers of the gang. Saturday night about 8 o'clock the two prisoners en So far the strikers have no thought to tered the saloon of William Irfert on Sheriff street, covered the proprietor The 150 miners from Joplin, Mo., ar- with revolvers, looted the cash drawsat down at a table to drink. A porter slipped out and called the police. Patrolmen Anderson and Watt responded to the call and arrested the men after a sharp fight, during which several

shots were exchanged. The police claim to have a line on the gang's headquarters, and promise to round them all up before 24 hours. Sunday night at 9:30 the police discovstore was successfully burned but

# A CLEY

To the Mysterious Macder Near Eliza-

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 28.-On Sepinto great excitement by the finding in against the views of a selfthe Monongahela river of the headless body of a man who had evidently been murdered. A reward offered by the county commissioners stimulated research and many parties have been of the Missouri and Illinois Coal Co. at scouring the country to find the dead Rentchler, Wilderman and Freeburg, man's head or clothing. Sunday after- Ill., was declared off Friday. The noon the bloody garments were found men struck Monday and went back among some weeds and bushes near the river and a small pany raising the wages from 38 cents mound nearby when opened, proved to be the burial place of the head, which is well preserved and is that of a man 45 or 50 years old. well formed, with gray eyes, dark hair and sandy chin whiskers, slightly mixed with gray. No one has been able to identify the victim of the crime, but it is thought a Pittsburgh tailor's label on his coat will lead to a clew.

Washington, Sept. 28 - Senator Palm er and ex-Gov. Buckner came down from | guilty parties. Philadelphia Sunday in their specia ear, reaching Washington at half-past three o'clock. Gen. Buckner stayed only a few minutes, continuing on the same train to Louisville, but Gen. Palmer, who was accompanied by his wife, son and daughter-in-law, went to the home of his son-in-law, Edwin G.

Monday. No Attempt to Assassinate the Sultan. London, Sept. 28.—The Daily News Monday publishes a dispatch from Constantinople denying the recent reports that attempts had been made to assassinate the sultan, and that there has been a mutiny among the troops at the

Crabbe, a chief of division in the pen-

sion office, where he will stay until

Yildiz Kicslr. Consul Lee Warned. RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 28. - It is learned here that American doctors in Havana have advised Consul Fitzhugh Lee that he is likely to contract yellow

fever if he remains there during October, and he may take a short visit to his home in Virginia during the fall. Don't Want Our Money. MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 28.-McGill university has issued a notice refusing to accept in future any more United States silver or paper money in pay ment of scholarship fees. United

States checks will only be accepted at

4 per cent. discount.

Killed Wife and Himself. Buffato, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Peter Kama killed his wife with a hatchet, then cut his own throat and died at the feet of the slain woman. The tragedy occurred in the home of Mrs. Kama's mother. The pair had quarreled.

Barred From Turkey. London, Sept. 28.—The Exchange Telegraph Co. says that the speeches delivered at Liverpool by Mr. Gladstone has caused great excitement in the Yildiz Kiosk, the residence of the sultan. Papers containing the speech have been prohibited from entering Turkey.

The Reformatory Ready. Columnus, O., Sept. 28.-Gov. Bush nell has issued a proclamation directing the attention of the judges of the state to the fact that the Obio state reformatory was ready for the reception

### TRADE REVIEW.

A Distinct Improvement in the Buying of Material - The Price of Wheat Closes 5 I-8 Cents Higher for the Week. NEW YORK, Sept. 26 -R. G. Dun

Co. says Saturday: A very moderate and yet distinct improvement is seen in the buying of materials, which stiffens prices also in or ders for products of some industries in money markets and in exports of staples. It has started some improve ment works and prompted a few cor siderable contracts. While the gain in working force is not great it seems clear that for the first time in man nonths there is some net gain.

An important change is the genera advance in produce markets, especially in wheat, which rose sharply on Thurs day and Friday, closing 5 se higher for the week. Reports of crops abroau were supposed to be the chief cause. as visible supplies in this country is creased largely, but for the first tim since July 1 western receipts fell be low those of the same week last year Atlantic exports, flour included, were for the week a little more than a year ago, for September 2,000,000 more an 21,807,553 bushels since July 1, against 14,128,308 last year. If there should me an unusual foreign demand would make a great difference with

Cotton advanced an eighth a week eco, but lost three-sixteenths and with di receipts might have gone farther but for resumption of work by several important mills. Much less than the full capacity of mills is working and the demand for goods has been quite slack, with a decline of a sixteenth in print cloths, but in other goods recently advances are maintained. Speen lative buying of wool does not abate sales for four weeks having been 24, 844,400 pounds against 23,758,970 last year, but no gain in prices resulted. A few of the woolen mills are resuming the belated demand for heavy goods constituting most of the gain visible. but manufacturers show confidence that more goods will be wanted when the future is more clear.

Finished products of iron meet more nquiry and the placing of contracts for 15,000 tons of steel for three new battleships, for one large building here and for several bridges, explain the starting of two or three works, but after such months as have passed a little business is a gain. A sharp fall of \$2 per ton in low phosphorus pig and siight rise in grey forge at Pittsburgh and in steel plates are the only change

noted in prices. Tin plates are slightly lowered by consumption to \$3.55 against \$3.90 for foreign and tin is a weaker at 13 cents, copper at 10.75 and lead at 2.80 cents. There is no change in the boot and shoe manufacture. Failures for the week have been 315 year and 39 in Canada against 50 last

### PRINCE BISMARCK.

The Translation of His Letter to Gov.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 26. Judge Julius schultze, editor of the Texas Vorwaert, furnishes the following translation of Bismarck's letter to Gov. Culthe flesh had been torn from the babe's tender face, head and neck. berson, made from the original on file in the executive office:

FRIEDRICHSBUHR, Aug 21, 1896. Honored Sir—Your estremed favor of July I has been received. I have always had a predilection for timetallism, but while I was office would not consider myself infallable opposition to experts. I believe to this of that it would be commendate to obtain endeavors of these nations, chiefly p taking in the world's commerce Steamers to Dock Vessels at the Paget ered two men attempting to force an ble with its interests to take a sub-tintial Sound Dock Yard. entrance to Landis' eigar store, corner step in the direction of bimetallism 1 believe This that such would er a beneficial influence upon the establishment of an international agreement and the solution of the European states. Assurer and as lighest respect, remain. You most obtained servant.

In the r and of Mr. Bryan's speech the Mysterious Marcer Near Eliza-beth, Pa.—The Head and Bloody Cloth-ing Found. for bimetalism and would not while tember 19, the vicinity of Wylie sta-tion, near Elizabeth, Pa., was thrown to be infallibly true and advanced

Miners' Stribe Designed Off. Sr. Louis, Sc. 5 The strike of the 250 miners employed at the mines Friday on the concession of the comto 39 cents per ton, which is equal to

the January price. Vandals Ruin a Church Interior

Bounson, Ind., Sept. 26.-Vandals entered the Presbyterian church at Packerton, after a political speech de livered by Dr. Howet), and completely ruined the interior. The schoolhouse where the speech was to have been nade was found inadequate to seat the large crowd, and the church was used. Citizens are trying to track down the

Bismarck's Letter Published in Germany. BERLIN, Sept. 26.—The letter of Prince Bismarck to Gov. Culberson, of Texas, sent in reply to a request from the latter to give his opinion on the silver question was cabled back to this the mill gates stating that the mill country and was published by the newspapers here. All doubt as to the on 40 hours per week basis. The mill authorship of the letter is now re- has been closed since July 10, and emgarded here as having been set at

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26 .- The old reserve at the close of business Friday stood at \$119,649,102. The day's withdrawals of gold at New York aas \$22,500. There were exchanged for gold deposited \$1,600,000 in curreney.

Snowstorm in South Dakots DEADWOOD, S. D., Sept. 16.-The first mowstorm of the season arrived Fri-

day. Early in the afternoon it com menced falling lightly and this evening it is snowing hard. The ground i covered. Up in the mountains there is about two inches on the ground. Photographer Slain in His Studio. MEMDIAN, Miss., Sept. 26.-A. S. Barnes, a son-in-law of State Senator Hardy, was murdered in his photo-

nurderer, who is now at large. Seven hundred dollars' reward is offered for his apprehension. Barnes and his wife had just returned from the north. Stabbed His Rival. LAPORTE, Ind., Sept. 26.-Andrew Martz, of Dekalb county, was fatally stabbed by Page Hathaway. Martz was driving with a young woman to

wife claims that she recognized the

whom Hathaway had paid attention. Deed of Trust Filed. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 26 -The Inernational Loan and Trust Co., of Kansas City, with offices at Delaware street and Missouri avenue, filed a deed of trust in the recorder's office Friday for \$06,207. The officers reused to talk about the company's condition. A similar deed was filed in

Wyandotte county, Kas. Shanty Boat Thieves Sentenced. GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 28. - Jack Mc dasters and Henry High, notorious shanty boat thieves, were sentenced to five and four years respectively in the enitentiary.

### TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Edward Wald While Drunk Fatafly Hurts His Wife and Son.

Rescued by the Police-Later the Prisoner Breaks Loose and Jumps

Into the River and is Drowned. CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 28.-Just before lark Sunday night Edward Wald, a ship carpenter residing at 53 Mulberry narrowly escaped lynching at the hands of an infuriated mob of west A new Presbyterian church was de de citizens. Wald came home under the influence of Equor, quarreled with his wife and finally struck her. The 14-year-old son, Edward, seized his father's arm g and intreated him to quiet down, wherepon the brute became enraged and brew the boy down the stairway leadng to the street, a distance of 20 feet. The little fellow screamed for help and olied out of the open doorway into the street, writhing in convulsions. Dr. C. A. Turner was summoned to at end the boy, and a crowd quickly colected to revenge the brutal outrage. Father McHale was hastened to the ene and administered the last rites of his church to the dying boy. Mean-

chile the crowd increased to a mob, chieh was goaded into fury by the ight of the helpless child struggling in the payement until the clamo for revenge swelled to an ominous roar. An imprompta delegation of 40 forces nhuman father, and others were dispatched for a rope. Wald had locked mself in a bedroom. The door was roken open and the brute dragged in o the street, fighting desperately. The police arrived before the rope at seared and thus intercented a lynch ng. The mob gave battle to the po ice, determined not to allow Wald to scape them. During the scrimmage the prisoner broke loose from thos who were holding him and ran down an alley toward the river.

The mob was close at his heels and hen the fugitive reached the river, knowing that his chance for life was far less than even if captured, plunged into the cold, muddy waters of the Cuyahoga and was drowned. His body has not been recovered. The boy will die and the wife's injuries may also prove fatal. AN INFANT

# Attacked and Killed by Three Big Rats a

BALTIMORE, Sept. 28.—Three big rats stracked the two-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Asher, of 1150 Low

neck to such an extent that the infant fied in a short time. Mr. Asher lives over his store. He was looking after his business and in the United States, against 216 last Mrs. Asher had gone to market when the rats started to make a meal of the helpless infant which was snugly tucked in its crib in the second father hurrie I upstairs and, as he entered the room in which the infant was lying three large vicious-looking rats imped out of the crib and scampered The horrified father found that

### Before a physician could be summoned the baby died, SEVEN HIGHWAYMEN

Rob a Surveying Party of F fte:n Men in Panis, Tex., Sept. 28.—A. T. Walker, who is in charge of a government surwho is in charge of a government surwho is in charge of a government surider of Henderson Spencer and received.

In the circuit court at Campton able for showing teeth in the jaws. About 12, short and conteal, occur on veying corps of 15 men, engaged in a life sentence. sectionizing the Indian territory, ar- Ar Lewisburg, Seth Greene, aged 80 rived here and reports that, on last years, married Margaret Beasley, aged in its body and had a tail of which Tuesday night seven highwaymen 77 years. It was Greene's secon at the muzzle of Winehesters.

The robbers obtained \$150 in each and Sho in checks. The men were white and unmasked. They did their work like experts. Since the courts of the territory have crime in that country has become more infrequent than in years.

### JOHN BOYD THACHER Declines the Democratic Nomination for

Governor of New York.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 28.—John Boyd Thacher has declined to accept the democratic nomination for governor. Mr. Thucher was nominated at Buffalo by the democratic convention on Sep tember 17. The platform adopted by that convention, in so far as it unequivocally indorsed the Chicago platform, can not be subscribed to by Mr.

Thacher any more than he could have

given his approval to the Chicago plat-

form itself in many of its essential features. The result of this is his

declination to stand as a candidate. Kansas Bunks Fail. TOPEKA, Kas., Sept. 28.-Two bank of destroying tell gates, but nothing failures were reported to the state could be proved against them and they bank commissioner Saturday, one at Argonia and the other at Tribune, Greeley county. The latter reported liabilities amounting to \$6,000. Its capital stock is \$5,000. No cause is asigned for the failures other than a gradual shrinkage of business in the

western part of the state. More Work in Prospect LAWRENCE, Mass., Sept. 28.-Agent I. Milliken, of the Everett mills, of closing up Holloway's poor Friday afternoon posted a notice on will resume operations on October 5, games and poolrooms have been paying ployed 1,200 hands.

Vessel Foundered-Seven Lives Lost. lost Sunday at Shields by the foundering of a boat that was overloaded. for oil. They think they The party that entered the boat sank it found it, and will put a well down in it almost to her gunwales, but as they 30 days. The well will be located near were in perfectly smooth water there Morehead. was no great danger. When, however, sea, which broke over the boat and defigure. The franchise of the spite the efforts made to bail her, soon wille Gas Co. is valued at \$2,752,84L filled her and caused her to sink, fore they could reach the people strug-gling in the water, seven of the party had been drowned.

Victory for the Socialists, Benlin, Sept. 28.—The elections for the second son of Queen Victoria (the cratic journal in central Kentucky, duke of Edinburgh) is the reigning graphic studio Thursday night. His duke, which were held Sunday, re-

> Mamon, Ind., Sept. 28.-John Traut, here, committed suicide by taking morphine. He was working as bartender in a saloon. Trant's relatives live in Craig City, Va. The remains will be shipped home for burial. Paul's Airship a Fallure.

Took Morphine.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The final test of the air ship Albatross was made Saturday afternoon by Wm. Paut, the inventor, and proved a failure. The party of experimenters had been ing for two weeks at Dune Park, Ind .. for a favorable wind with which to test the invention, and the opportunity game Saturday.

Paxava, Colombia, via Galveston ex., Sept 38 -- News from the inter r states that the town of Parificacion as been completely destroyed by Ercannot the citizens homeless.

Vibrie Town Homeless.

### KENTUCKY STATE NEWS.

Ar Stanford the 18-months-old child of Mattie Lackey, colored, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her

LAST July Ed. Boner, colored, shot and killed Newton Lynch, also colored, in Lexington, and the other day Boner was sentenced to eight years in the

enitentiary. A wind storm of fearful force wreck ed a large number of houses at Sar gent and did great damage to crops.

CARRIE JENNINGS, of Louisville, who put a bullet in her brain, still lives, is a puzzle to the doctors. The bullet is still in her brain, a part of which cozed A New York Lawyer Forgot That He Was from the wound. There is every indication now that she will recover.

THE court of appeals affirmed the fined \$100 for failing to maintain adviser on matters of law and equity proper toilet room at its Walton, and, in addition to all this, he is the station.

of consumption

of the sixth class. A petition has been just as any good housewife would. All presented to the circuit court. The this time Mr. D- was busy in the petition avers that there are 50 voters garden. Presently a neighbor hapand a population of 271 within the de- pened along and stopped for Mr. Dtheir way into the house to drag out the scribed district; and that it is for the opinion on a law matter and was invited mutual benefit of all that the said dis- into the darkened parlor. The vistrict be incorporated.

> their works over into the Knob Lick of honor for all guests. He acquiesced neighborhood. NEAR Caseyville Walter Davie, desondent because of ill health, com-

> mitted suicide by shooting Tyrnom fever is raging in several ctions of Letcher county, caused by water. Floyd Hall, a promising young man, died the other day at Baker, and there are more than twenty-five dan- low and Mr. D- jumped up. He had perous cases in the immediate neigh-

borhood. Postmastens appointed in Kentucky the other day: A. Datson, Coleman, Pike county, vice R L. Honacker, resigned, and P. Q. Hamilton, Sloan's Valley, Pulaski county, vice L T. Fle-

gle, resigned. THE state gained a victory in its suit for \$48,000 against S. A. Norman and other old contractors, who bid for the street, and gnawed its face, head and out-put of the penitentiary, in which Norman Chair Co. filed an answer, pleading as a counter claim damages for \$90,000, for the annulling of the contract by the commissioners. Judge Cantrell sustained the demurer of the state, throwing the chair company out of court. The commonwealth alleged story. Hearing the baby crying the as its ground for annulling the Norman contract that the company attempted to pay in state warrants in-The chair company will stead of cash.

go to the court of appeals. Tun death sentence of William Me-Clain (colored), who was to have been hanged at Louisville, was commuted to life imprisonment.

Fon having interfered with a citizen

Hefferman, of the Louisville police force was fined \$50. In the circuit court at Campton

came to their camp, six miles north ture, and the third for his blushing length. The wings were quite as well west of Grant, I. T., and robbed them bride, whose second husband died four developed as the legs and there are months ago. A SPECIAL from Greensburg, says: The annual reunion of the Kentucky Veter-

here. The attendance is large. been empowered with full jurisdiction, near Stargis, Mrs. Will Gregg fell into the well and was drowned.

> withdraw for anybody. THE free turnpike mob destroyed of remarkable smoothness when prefive tollgates near Springfield, other night, and three the night before. These two raid only leave five gates standing in Washington county, the raiders having destroyed 43 in all. The other night the mob rode up to length of range, and in this respec the Tick Creek pike gate, while it was what is considered the most wonderful guarded by 12 men. The leader of the of guns, perhaps, is one of the Maxims, mob was ordered to take his men away or go to jait. The mob then leveled shotguns at the guards and forced dler can carry it strapped to his back. them to surrender. The mob forced the guard to cut the gate down and drove them back to town. Two of the raiders, Joe Settles and Charles Miller, were in court next day on the charge

were discharged. Some few of the sheriffs have reported to the auditor that they have not collected the state taxes, and may be indicted for negligence. Auditor Stone has sent out a letter advising edity them of the law, and will take no action until they are heard from further.

a regular assessed fine to the circuit court for some months and running at a large profit besides. Ton L. Wilson and John Akin, London, Sept. 28.—Seven lives were of New York, have been in Morehead for several days prospecting

and several crap games and of shut-

THE state board fixed the franchis got some distance out in of the Louisville Street Railway Co. at the harbor, they encountered a small \$5,488,655, nearly double last year's Jos. MILLARD, a highly respected Other boats went to the rescue, but be- farmer, living near Saylersville, at-

CHARLES F. WHITE, owner of the Richmond Register, the oldest demoembers of the diet of Gotha, of which Richmond Register, the oldest demodied suddenly the other morning.

lor, of Paducah. It is in excellent coudition and treasured highly. It was of Upland, a town ten miles east of given to Mr. Taylor by a descendant of a friend, one of the old-time settlers, and an associate of Crockett. STEAKER REED will make speeches ficial effects, to note when you pur-during October at Louisville, Lexingduring October at Louisville, Lexing-

chase, that you have the genuine arti-cle, which is manufactured by the Caliton, Covington, Mt. Sterling and one other point in Eastern Kentucky.

head, and A. C. Rowan and others have

lost several head.

REV. FRED HALE'S followers, who recently withdrew from the First Baptist church at Owensboro and organized the Third Baptist church, the other day, purchased the C. N. S. Taylor mestend on Allen street for \$4,800 at public sale. The site is a desirable one and it is announced that a \$30,000 house of worship will be erected on it

# Fall

Hood's

Sarsaparilla The Best-in fact the One True Blood Puri

Hood's Pills cure Liver like en y &

HE SAT ON THE BABY.

Mr. D- is an extensive real estate owner in one of the suburbs of New case of the L. & N. Railway Co. vs. York, snys the New York Times. He Commonwealth. The L. & N. was is also an insurance agent and a general proud father of a three-weeks-old baby. CHAS S. WHITTEMORE, many years a The other day Mrs. D- took the deputy in the cierk's office at Mayfield, little treasure into the parlor and, after died the other night after a long illness a half bour's cooing, luiled it to sleep. Then she laid the child on a sofa with THE town of Hardin, Marshall coun- a pillow at its feet, darkened the room ty, wants to be incorporated as a city and went about her household duties,

itor went straight for the sofa. THE iron mines at Olympia, Bath could see the pillow, but did not obcounty, are exhausted. They have serve the child. He was adjusting the worked at intervals since the pillow to make a nice comfortable seat, early settlement of Kentucky. The but Mr. D- insisted that he should ompany has pulled stakes and moved sit in the big arm-chair, a sort of seat and Mr. D- took his seat on the pil-

About this time Mrs. D-, whose maternal instinct had asserted itself, peeped in to see how baby slept. She saw her husband sitting where she had left the child. As she asked in an alarmed tone where the baby was a muffled cry came from beneath the pilbeen sitting on the precious little thing and the timely arrival of his wife probably saved the child's life. A few moments more and it would have been suffocated. "Lucky for the child that I did not sit on it," remarked the visitor, who is a man of generous proportions, The child is all right now, but Mr. Ddoes not take his clients into the pa-

any more. OLDEST KNOWN BI' Prof. F. G. Seeley Tells of 16 to a Recent

"The Solenhofen slate of Bavaria," writes Prof. II. G. Seely in his recent little volume, "The Story of the Earth in Past Ages," "makes known numerous insects and other forms of terrestrial life of this period, including the oldest known bird.

"A bird is known by its feathers; though there is no reason why the covering to the skin should not be as variable in this group of animals as among reptiles or mammals. It is, therefore, remarkable that the oldest-known bird, the archaeopteryx, has feathers as n the election of 1894, Sergeant Ed well developed as in the existing representatives of the class and similarly arranged. The animal is an elegant, slender bird, which is chiefly remark-

each side of the upper is

"The bird was larger than "

there was a bony core some six inches in some evidences that the forme and be applied to the ground as are the form legs of quadrupeds, although the . . . thans of the Mexican war is being held ers show the wings to have be-tastructed on the same plan as the birds

While drawing a bucket of water of to-day. "The Solenhofen stone, in which so many of the remains of fisher, reptiles GEORGE DEXXY says he is in the con- and insects are found, is the same as gressional race to stay and will not that used for lithographi - papers, being of exceeding close texture and the pared for its work."

Death-Dealing Guns.

Quick-firing guns are more depended

upon at the present day than extreme

which can fire as many as 600 shots a minute, and vet is so light that a sol

WE have not been without Piso's Cure for Consumption for 39 years.—Lazzie Fi Camp St., Harrisburg, Pa., May 4, '04. Vgny few horses out corned beef, but we

saw one standing the other day with a bit in his mouth.

Cascanges stimulate liver, kidneys bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe "Wnarshall I do with this article on the drinking water?" said the Chicae or's assistant. "Beil it down;

reply.-Vogue. A Law and Order league is being formed at Lexington for the purpose Herald.



With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper ef-forts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts— rightly directed. There is comfort in ease, but simply to a constipated condi-tion of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs. promptduke of Edinburgh) is the reigning duke, which were held Sunday, resulted in a great victory for the socialists, who won nine out of the 19 seats.

David Chockerr's Masonic apron is now in the possession of Mr. E. M. Taybush, It is in excellent constitution of the possession of Mr. E. M. Taybush, It is in excellent constitution. who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is th

Gladness Comes

fornia Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists. other point in Eastern Kentucky.

The hog cholera is playing have with hogs in the Abbeville neighborhood, near Hartford. Alex Hoover has lost 35 fine fattening hogs out of 73 may be commended to the most physicians, but if in need of a la-one should have the best, and well-informed everywhere, Figs stands highest and is m used and gives most general?

